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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Communications**

**THROUGH: Deputy Director (Support)**

**SUBJECT: Transfer of ELINT and Related Support Functions**

**REFERENCE: OC-0991 dated 5 September 1962**

1. As regards ELINT and related support functions, reference is a satisfactory basis for immediate transfer of responsibility to the Deputy Director (Research).

2. The transfer of applied COMINT research and quick reaction support as described in paragraph 4 of reference is acceptable.

3. There are a number of problems remaining which will require further coordinated effort with the Office of Communications. Transfer of additional personnel, budgets, equipment, and other assets will necessitate continuing discussions. I am particularly concerned that the OEL has sufficient trained personnel on board to conduct expanding activities already in sight. In this regard, your early decision on the transfer of [REDACTED] to the OEL would be most helpful.

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**cc: Deputy Director (Plans)**

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